

# THE COLLEENS OF THE GR

Typical Beauties of the Emerald Isle who  
are Working to Help Their  
Emigrant Sisters.



A girl from Donegal in the  
peasant dress of the market  
place



A type of the Southern colleen, wear-  
ing the cape and hood of the field  
worker.



A Cork beauty, who has lived  
within sight of the romantic  
Lakes of Killarney.



HE Irish fair opens here to-morrow night, and the public will have a chance of studying the products of Ireland at her best.

Every effort is being made to make the fair a great success, for upon it rests the erection of the Irish Palace. There are thousands of Irish people in this country interested in the big, ambitious plan. Contributions are pouring in from every city of the Union, for the Palace is to be a home for all Irish-Americans.

There is going to be a great deal to marvel at and admire in the big fair, but nothing will be fairer than the beautiful girls who will have charge of the booths, the native colleens, who are the pride of the Emerald Isle.

There will be dozens by the score. At every turn dozens of pretty Irish girls will stand ready to charm your money into the purse of the committee that is going to erect the big palace.

Every type of colleen that proud Ireland can produce will be in evidence in all the native glory. It goes without saying that every one of them will be pretty, only some will be prettier than others, and as for the very beautiful ones, well, you will have to attend the fair yourself in order to realize what a really beautiful colleen, clad in her native dress and fresh from the Emerald Isle, can be. Each country and section will send not only a prize in the colleen line, but several prizes, so that the colleen glory of the country may shine deservedly. Throughout the different booths you shall see the types that have made Ireland famous, the dark beauties with blue eyes and the light beauties with sloth shining eyes, and all the pretty shades of complexion that dance between.

The Milesian type is distinctive and one of the most beautiful among women. The colleen from Cork and along the southern coast represents the typical Irish beauty, she